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1. A manual entitled Aircraft Designing is reported to be the probable latest Soviet textbook for use of students of aircraft engineering studying at state universities and at the Air Force technical academies.
2. Its editor, M. N. Shulshenko, apparently is not Hero of the Soviet Union Lt. Col. M. N. Shulshenko, who has been mentioned several times in connection with air shows. The editor is assumed to be on the staff of the Zhukovski Academy.
3. The more recent aircraft types reproduced in the book as illustrations of production techniques of the Soviet and foreign aircraft industries represent copies of western aircraft almost exclusively, but a detailed study of the book reveals some indications of original Soviet designs of modern aircraft types.

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